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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1772.

LISBON, *April* 7.

ON the 5th inſtant, ſoon after midnight, an earthquake happened here, which continued for two minutes. The weather was ſerene, the ſky ſtar light, and the air perfectly calm. The direction of the ſhock was from ſouth to north, with equal vibrations, which were ſtrong and laſting. A ſubterranean noiſe was heard at the ſame time, which continued as long as the ſhocks.

ROTTERDAM, *April* 13. Advice has been received here from the Eaſt Indies, which informs us, that the Engliſh are beſieging the Nabob of Tanjour in his capital; and they further add, that they intend to build a fortreſs at Negane, a maritime port about half a league from Negapatnam, belonging to the Nabob of Tanjour. This event will be very diſagreeable to the Dutch Company, as the Engliſh may, by that ſituation, ruin the Dutch trade there.

WARSAW, *April* 15. It is now certain, that the Congreſs is opened at Jaſſy. On the part of the Ruſſians, Mr. Simolin is in correſpondence with the Turkiſh Seraſkier Mouſſon Oglou. Notwithſtanding this, the warlike preparations continue, but it is hoped that a peace will render them unneceſſary.

VIENNA, *April* 18. It is aſſured that Count Eſterhaſy has entered Poland at the head of the Imperial troops, which formed the line from the frontiers of Upper Sileſia to the county of Zips, in order to act in concert with the Pruſſians and the Ruſſians againſt the Confederates.

HAMBURGH, *April* 24. Letters from Copenhagen adviſe, that the Commiſſion of Enquiry has been again aſſembled to interrogate Col. Falkenſchiold, and that a regiment of dragoons is ſent to Aalbourg to guard that caſtle. Theſe letters add, that during the laſt examination which Count Struenſee underwent, he made a very pathetic ſpeech, which drew tears from the eyes of his Judges, particularly the Preſident Juel Wind; that he confeſſed himſelf guilty, implored the clemency of his Sovereign, and begged if he muſt die, that he might ſuffer privately in the caſtle, and not be expoſed to publick view: he finiſhed his diſcourſe with ſoliciting favour to be ſhewn the other priſoners, whoſe diſgrace he had been the author of. The commiſſaries of the tribunal have been with the Queen at Cronenburg. Several things have been ſaid on that ſubject, which diſcretion will not permit us to publiſh.

LONDON,

April 29. His Majeſty, in conſideration of the preſent high price of proviſions, has ordered one ſhilling per week to be added to the pay of each labourer employed at Richmond and Kew, and alſo a pot of beer per day, for the better ſupport of their wives and families.

May 2. By a gentleman juſt arrived from Paris we are informed, the Pretender, from his being ſo many years devoted to his bottle, had no great devotion to the deed of matrimony, but was edged on by the French Court to preſerve the breed of Stuart, as a future convenience to their machinations. It is likewiſe ſaid, that the French King has added conſiderably to the Princeſs's fortune.

Yeſterday orders were given to ſeveral of his Majeſty's domeſticks, to be in readineſs to embark, on the firſt notice, for Copenhagen, to conduct Princeſs Caroliua Matilda from that place to Zell, in the electorate of Hanover, which is to be her place of reſidence.

The ſame day orders were ſent to Capt. Hamilton, who is appointed to have the command of one capital ſhip and two frigates, to ſail to Copenhagen on ſaid occaſion the firſt opportunity.

On Thurſday the Houſe ordered, that an inſtruction be given to the Committee for regulating the importation and exportation of corn, that they make a proviſion for regulating the importation and exportation of barley; and to permit the importation of Indian corn from America duty free. Alſo to admit wheat, &c. to be imported, duty free, from Ireland, when the exportation thereof ſhall be prohibited from Great Britain and Ireland to foreign countries.

The ſame day the Houſe unanimouſly reſolved, that no bill relating to religion, or the alteration of the laws concerning religion, be brought into this Houſe, until the propoſition ſhall have been firſt conſidered in a Committee of the whole Houſe, and agreed unto by the Houſe; which reſolution was made a ſtanding order of the Houſe.

Extract of a letter from Poonamula, near Madras, dated October 8, 1771.

"The deſign of taking Tanjour having been reſolved, our army marched the 11th of laſt month towards that place. On the 18th batteries were opened againſt a ſtrong fort called Vellum, ſeven miles from Tanjour. The enemy deſerted it the 20th at midnight, and we took poſſeſſion of it the 21ſt, early in the morning. We now hear that the batteries againſt Tanjour are within 300 yards of the place.

May 4. It is now confidently ſaid, that nothing but the cuſtomary ſupplies will be demanded from the Parliament; and that this advantage is owing to the prudent adminiſtration of Lord North, who, beſides avoiding the impoſition of any new burdens upon the ſubject, has paid off 1,800,000l. of the national debt in the courſe of the paſt winter.

The report of Sir Robert Keith's return from Copenhagen, as an intention of hoſtility againſt the Danes, is entirely without foundation. All matters are now finally ſettled between the two Courts, and if Sir Robert comes over for any time, it will be juſt as Sir Joſeph Yorke has done, merely on his own private affairs, with a view of returning the very firſt opportunity.

On Sunday morning five loaded waggons, with proviſions and other neceſſaries, were ſent away from St. James's for Deal, to be put on board his Majeſty's ſhips deſtined for the Baltic, to eſcort her Royal Highneſs Caroliua Matilda to Zell, and this morning ſeveral perſons belonging to the Board of Green Cloth will ſet out, to embark on board the ſaid ſhips for that purpoſe.

Carlton Houſe is now ſitting up with great magnificence for the reception of his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Wales. The additional furniture (though that in the Princeſs Dowager's time was very ſplendid) it is ſaid, will amount to 15,000l. and the Prince will reſide there the beginning of next winter, as by that time his houſhold will be thoroughly eſtabliſhed.

May 5. Friday laſt Lord North, in the Houſe of Commons, opened the Budget, and it was now known that the Treaſury are to pay off 1,300,000l. at two inſtalments, namely, 750,000l. on Midſummer day, all in three per cents; no perſon is allowed to ſubſcribe a greater ſum than 10,000l. and every ſubſcribing creditor is to be paid 90l. for every 100l. three per cents, and to be indulged with a douceur of four lottery tickets. His Lordſhip declared, that, ſo far as he could obtain any lights into the preſent ſyſtem of the different courts in Europe, all was PEACE, and nothing ſeemed to hinder this ſo general a peace from continuing *ten years*, which if it did, and he ſhould continue at the head of the Treaſury, he proved, from uncontrovertible computations, that he ſhould, within that period, pay off 17,600,000l. of the national debt; and farther, that when this ſum ſhould be thus paid off, the clear net revenue of this kingdom would amount to *ſix millions* annually, which would be a ſum equal to the undertaking of any war, whether naval or military, or both, with all the combined powers of Europe. His Lordſhip obſerved, that the King of France was equally ſolicitous for a peace, and that although many Britiſh officers, both in the navy and army, might very naturally wiſh for war, in order to ſignalize their ſuperior courage and abilities, yet it was the ſpecial duty and province of a Firſt Lord of the Treaſury to conſider the event either of peace or war, not in a partial but in a general light; adding, that he had conſidered it in the latter point of view; and though he was as highly ſenſible of the abilities of his Majeſty's naval and military forces as any perſon in the kingdom, yet, upon a comprehenſive and general view of things, he was clearly convinced, that it was the advantage of this kingdom not to go into war, unleſs abſolutely compelled ſo to do, which hitherto had not been the caſe, ſince, whenever his Majeſty thought the honour of his Crown any ways inſulted, the inſulters had always made ample acknowledgment and condeſcenſion.

The ſtate of the nation, with which Lord North on Friday acquainted the Parliament at the opening of the Budget, is ſuch as muſt give univerſal ſatisfaction to the people, however intereſted writers may endeavour to ſhew us the happineſs of being miſerable; our publick debt is reduced, our fleet is in a formidable ſituation, our army well diſciplined, and unanimity once more happily re-eſtabliſhed among us; theſe are real bleſſings, and, if the opening of the ports ſhall fortunately produce a plenty of proviſions, we ſhall reach the ſummit of political happineſs, in ſpite of foreign foes and domeſtic incendiaries.

We are informed, that this morning his Excellency the Ruſſian Ambaſſador notified in form to our Court, that a ſuſpenſion of arms has actually taken place between the Turks and Ruſſians, and that a congreſs is already begun.

Some letters from Paris mention, that orders have been ſent to the French commander in the Mediterranean to ſail for Algiers, to demand ſatisfaction for ſome indignities lately offered to the French conſul at that place.

May 6. One of the famous modern Nabobs was frequently heard to declare, ſome time ago, that, during one year, while he was in the Eaſt Indies, his income was equal to *five hundred pounds* a day. What an immenſe ſum for a private coffer! and how many poor Indians muſt have bled for it! This honeſt gentleman, now dreading the eagle-eyed Committee who are ſcrutinizing theſe affairs, denies that he ever ſaid any ſuch thing.

May 7. Lord North had ſome converſation yeſterday with a foreign Miniſter, who aſked him why he was ſo ſtrongly wedded to an opinion, that the general pacification of Europe would continue ten years? His Lordſhip anſwered, that if the various powers of Europe really knew their own intereſt, there *never* would be another war, but that policy itſelf would become a guarantee to the rights of humanity.

A gentleman who arrived on Sunday night laſt from Paris brings advice, that the French King has been attacked with a ſudden illneſs, from which it is thought he cannot recover.

Extract of a letter from Copenhagen, dated April 28.

"Saturday laſt, early in the forenoon, the Committee of Enquiry pronounced ſentence againſt John Frederick Struenſee and Enevold Brandt, which was accordingly preſented to the Privy Council without his Majeſty's attendance. In the afternoon the Privy Council met again; in the evening, towards ſeven o'clock, the King arrived from Charlottenburgh, and preſided at the Council Board, when, after confirming the ſentence, he went *directly* to the Italian *opera*.

"Same day, at twelve at noon, both the priſoners were acquainted by their Counſellors with their ſentences. Struenſee received and read it with extraordinary compoſure, which naturally aſtoniſhed all thoſe preſent; to whom he obſerved, they ought, as he did, to impute it to his conſtant "apprehenſions and his "long preparations for his unhappy fate." His uneaſineſs appeared much greater, when he found Brandt's ſentence equal to his own. Brandt alſo ſeemed tolerably reſigned on hearing his ſentence; but the following morning his ſpirits totally ſunk, there being no barber ſent him, as uſual, to be ſhaved. Meſſ. Munter and Itee have been, ſince Saturday, ſeldom abſent from Struenſee and Brandt. Both priſoners delivered to their Counſellors hands, on their leaving them on Saturday laſt, two letters, one for the King and one for the Committee of Enquiry. Yeſterday they both took the Holy Sacrament.

"Struenſee's ſentence takes up five full ſheets of paper: Among the charges therein contained againſt him are, his having aſſumed 100 great a power to himſelf; his injuring the King's treaſure for more than fifteen tons of gold; his forging (or falſifying) a draught; his diſcharging the guards; the ſuſpicious arrangements he had been ordering within the walls of this place, &c.

"Brandt's ſentence expreſſly ſays, that, on account of his deſigns agitated *immediately* againſt the ſacred perſon of his Majeſty, the exceptions he made could not be admitted, and therefore declared guilty and condemned. Towards the concluſion of their ſentence is added, in virtue of the Daniſh Law Book, B, VI. Cap. IV. Art. 1. both Count John Frederick Struenſee, and Count Enevold Brandt, having made themſelves guilty, and as an example to others, ſtand juſtly condemned to forfeit their honours, lives, and property; and are entirely degraded from the dignities belonging to their titles of Earls; their Earls coats of arms are to be broken by the hands of the common hangman; this being done, their right arm will be cut off, next their heads, then will their bodies be quartered and laid upon the wheel, and their heads and hands fixed upon iron ſpikes.

"The aforeſaid dead warrants were this morning executed in a field without the eaſtern gate; a ſcaffold was erected of nine yards in height and eight yards ſquare, whither both the priſoners were carried in hackney coaches; in the firſt went the Attorney General, and ſome attendants; Brandt appeared firſt on the ſcaffold; he had on a gold laced hat, a green ſuit of cloaths, with gold binding, and boots: he ſpoke for ſome little time to his clergyman Mr. Hee, after which the ſentence was read and executed; his head was ſeveral times expoſed to the view of an immenſe croud of ſpectators. Next appeared Struenſee on the ſcaffold, accompanied by Dr. Munter, having his hat in his hand, and dreſſed in a blue ſuperfine ſuit; he ſpoke to Dr. Munter; when done, his ſentence was executed in every ſhape like the foregoing one; their corpſe were carried to the uſual place of execution, to be there expoſed; Struenſee behaved very penitently, but this cannot be ſaid of Brandt, for his whole conduct was remarkably bold; ſeveral files of ſoldiers and ſailors guarded the ſcaffold, and the town guards were alſo reinforced; though immenſe numbers were, for want of room, diſappointed of ſeeing this execution, and all ſeeming for a while in a violent ferment, yet the whole went off undiſturbed and quietly."

Notwithſtanding the late *peaceable* proteſtations of Lord North in an auguſt aſſembly, the following circumſtance, we can aſſure the publick, is a fact, that there are juſt now ordered from Deal to Sheerneſs, to be ready for ſea at an hour's notice, three 74 gun ſhips, two bomb ketches, a fire ſhip, and a yacht. Where this fleet is deſtined is no doubt uncertain; ſtill it looks as if matters were not fully accommodated between our Court and that of Denmark.

We hear that cocking George has diſcovered his *uſual forteſt*, on the freedom he and his brother members have been treated with in a poem juſt publiſhed, called The Senators; and yeſterday ſpoke to ſeveral members to ſecond him in a motion to call the author and publiſher to account. Amongſt the reſt he applied to Charles Fox, who jocoſely anſwered him,

" Let them alone, George, *printers*, you know, are no Game for you."

May 8. A discovery of great consequence is just made in the physical world, which is, that antimony is a sovereign remedy in fevers, in warm climates particularly, and recovered several men on board the Juno, Capt. Stott, in her voyage to Falkland's islands, after the usual methods were used in vain.

May 9. It is said that Zell will be only a temporary retreat for the Queen of Denmark, as it is resolved that she shall return to England when matters have somewhat subsided.

May 10. Notwithstanding all the preparations at Zell, for the reception of her Danish Majesty, we have received a letter from Copenhagen, of very good authority, dated the 5th instant, which assures us, that the Queen Matilda is so insurmountable, that she has absolutely and finally declared, she will upon no consideration whatever be separated from the King; and that she persists in protesting against the consistorial decree of April the 6th, by which she was sentenced to be divorced from her royal consort, she still resolutely insists and persists, that she is either guilty or innocent; if the former, then she demands the same punishment that has been inflicted upon Struensee and Brandt; if the latter, then she demands, as a matter of right, an ample restitution of her honour and royal dignity. This resolution has greatly embarrassed the Court of Copenhagen, and the result of it remains as yet a mystery of state.

May 12. Major Rogers, who was so serviceable in the command of a body of irregulars last war in America, has just obtained a commission from his Majesty for finding out the north-west passage in that quarter. He is to be allowed 3 l. a day for himself, and four shillings each for fifty companions of his own chusing. From the intimate acquaintance this gentleman has with the country, his knowledge of the Indian language, and, above all, having the object much at heart, the scheme seems to presage a very successful issue.

May 16. On Thursday the House of Commons agreed to the following resolutions, viz.

That, after the expiration of the present drawback of the duties of the customs upon tea exported to Ireland and the British plantations, a drawback be allowed of three-fifth parts of the duties of customs payable upon the importation of such teas, for a limited time.

May 19. Advice is received from Sir Robert Murray Keith, that the Court of Denmark are plotting something more against the Queen, in order to take her off; but that he apprehends, before they proceed any further against her, some other persons, who are well wishers to her, will be cut off; it having been noticed to the publick, that there will be more executions in a short time.

Orders are given for a fleet of ships to be ready to sail at a few hours notice; their destination is not known, but it is imagined they are bound up the Baltic.

Letters from the north of Ireland advise, that the insurrections of the populace are entirely quelled, and that many of the insurgents, who were chiefly composed of farmers and weavers, are preparing to embark for America.

BOSTON, *July* 9.

Two English seamen arrived last week in a vessel at Nantucket from the Havanna, where we learn they have been imprisoned six or seven years. One of them came to town this week, and informs, that he was taken on the Spanish Main, and carried prisoner to the Havanna, for being concerned in an illicit trade (as it is phrased by those who do not chuse to resent the behaviour of the Dons). During his imprisonment he suffered many hardships, and at length, growing old and infirm, was released. He says, there were forty-six stout able-bodied English seamen imprisoned at the Havanna when he left it.

PHILADELPHIA, *July* 20.

By a gentleman who came passenger with Capt. Peel, from Lisbon, we have advice, that the ship Polly, Capt. Carmichael, from London for Maryland, having sprung a leak at sea, put into Lisbon in great distress; she had three feet water in her hold, and all the pumps choaked with the ballast. It is imagined she will be detained some time to refit.

The Publick are cautioned to beware of counterfeit Pennsylvania TWENTY SHILLING Bills, as some are passing among us, dated May 1, 1760; they are badly cut on copper plate, and may easily be distinguished, the paper looking whiter and smoother than the true bills.

ANNAPOLIS, July 30.

The Publick may be assured that the Small-Pox has not spread, not a single Person having taken the Infection, except those who were confined to the House lately for their Reception, which is near 100 Yards distant from any other Dwelling House, and as the Guard is still continued, there is the greatest Reason to believe that the Town will be clear of it by the ensuing *August* Court.

To the PRINTER.

IT is said to be the opinion of some of our lawyers, that the act for the establishment of religious worship in this province, made in the year 1701-2, is, for some reason or other, absolutely null and void. Now, I find that this act repeals the act of 1700, entitled, *An Act for the Service of Almighty God, &c.* But can a law be repealed by a writing, which is a meer dead letter? Can the act of 1701-2, void *ab initio*, repeal the act of 1700?—May it not, then, be a question, whether, upon a supposition of the nullity of the act of 1701-2, the act of 1700 is not now in full force?—What is the act of 1700? Does it not impose the payment of 40 per poll on the people?—Does it give less power to the clergy; is it less oppressive to the people?—Does it breathe a more benign and charitable spirit on Dissenters?——It is to be hoped, that those, who have an opportunity, will oblige the publick with a copy of this act in the Gazette; that we may be able to determine whether it will be worth our pains to destroy an old establishment, if we must be subject to another, perhaps not less exceptionable. And may we not expect from our lawyers, such of them especially as are our representatives, a full, frank, and explicit declaration of their sentiments upon both these acts? Surely, they will not, any longer, suffer the people to be bewildered in doubt and perplexity; when it is in their power to give light to their steps, and direct them to the right road.

Tell us not of the policy of suppressing opinions. That policy is nothing but trick and artifice, which would shut out truth from the eyes of a people in matters of important concern to them—of a people especially, who wish to pursue it; and desire nothing more ardently than to be informed how to conduct themselves with justice and propriety.—Here, however, I must enter my caveat against *haranguing*, as the proper mode of conveying instruction. It is, *at best*, too partial a communication for an object of universal concern. But, in the hands of *men of art*, it is too apt to palm upon us chicanery for argument; and, instead of advancing truth, is a powerful instrument of amusement and delusion; more especially, if we consider who make up the bulk of hearers upon these occasions.——No, let us have it in plain black and white; that we may weigh it with deliberation, exercise our judgments coolly upon it, and form our best conclusions upon the genuine merits of the question.

I am yours,
JACK FRANK.

Annapolis, July 29, 1772.

THE Members of the *Maryland* JOCKEY CLUB are desired to meet at the Coffee-House, to Dinner, on Tuesday next.

W. EDDIS, Secretary.

Lower Marlborough, July 21, 1772.

WHEREAS sundry Gentlemen of the Counties of *St. Mary's*, *Charles*, *Calvert*, and *Prince-George*, have expressed a Desire that the Free School Lands of each of these Counties should be sold, and that the Money arising from the Sales thereof should be put into a general Fund, for the Purpose of forming an Academy, or Seminary of Education, in some healthy and agreeable Situation, the most convenient to the said Counties collectively: And whereas also, a Sum of Twelve Hundred Pounds and upwards has already been subscribed by many Individuals of these and other Counties, towards the Furtherance of so benevolent a Scheme: We, the underwritten, elected by a Majority of the Subscribers of the said Twelve Hundred Pounds, as Trustees of the above Plan, conceiving it to be of very general and considerable Importance, do request a general Attendance of the Inhabitants of each of the said Counties, at *Lower Marlborough*, on the Monday after the Fourth Tuesday in *August*, being the 31st Day of the said Month, in order more maturely to consider and instruct us where and how finally to complete this useful Design.

BENEDICT CALVERT,
WILLIAM FITZHUGH,
GEORGE PLATER,
HENRY ADDISON,
THOMAS THORNTON,
(4w) THOMAS JOHN CLAGETT,
JONATHAN BOUCHER,
THOMAS GANTT,
EDWARD GANTT,
BENJAMIN MACKALL,

Alexandria, July 12, 1772.

TO BE SOLD AT ALEXANDRIA,

On Monday the 17th of August *next, being Court Day,*

THE Brig *Swift*, together with all her Appurtenances; she is of the Burden of 100 Tons and upwards, and well calculated for the *West India* Trade, in good Order for taking in a Cargo immediately.——Or if any are inclined to charter the said Brig, they may know the Terms, by applying to

CARLYLE and DALTON,
(3w) or
ROBERT ADAM, and Co.

Baltimore, July 25, 1772.

M. E V A N S,

Lately arrived from London; *at her Store, next Door to* Benjamin Rogers, *Esq*; *in* Baltimore,

RESPECTFULLY begs Leave to acquaint the Ladies in *Annapolis*, and the Publick in general, that she has imported the fashionable Net and Gauze Bonnets, Terezas to match, Hats and long Cloaks in the French gray Queen's Silk, ditto in white Sarsenet, ditto in black Mode, Caps called the masquerading Caps, Fillets for young Ladies, Bonnets and Tippets for ditto, Puddings for Children, Italian Egrets, fashionable Stomachers and Sleeve-knots with Italian Flowers, Trimmings for Gowns, Paste Combs, Sprigs, Pins, Ear-rings, Danglers, Stay-hooks to match, ditto in Garnets, ditto in blue Stone set with Marquasites, worked Aprons, black Velvet Collars, which are now worn instead of Necklaces, with Danglers, *&c. &c. &c.*

MR. L' ARGENTAU

BEGS leave to acquaint the Publick, that he has opened his Dancing School in *Baltimore*, and that he proposes in about Three Weeks to open another in *Annapolis*; in both which Places his utmost Abilities and Diligence will be used, to obtain the Favour and Approbation of those Ladies and Gentlemen who think proper to countenance him; he having now determined to continue his Schools in the above Places, as long as he meets with Encouragement. (tf.)

THE Subscriber takes this Method of acquainting the Publick, that he has opened an Academy, in *Upper Marlborough*, where he proposes teaching the *Greek* and *Latin* Languages, Geography, Mathematicks, and other improving Branches of Literature, at Four Guineas each Scholar per Annum; at which Place, he intends to deliver an Oration, on the Advantages of a Liberal Education, on Wednesday the 26th of *August*. Those Gentlemen, who are pleased to favour him with their Sons, are desired to make speedy Application to

Their very humble Servant,
(w3) ARTHUR WALKER, A. M.

July 13, 1772.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Number of the Inhabitants of *Cecil* County do intend to prefer a Petition to the next General Assembly of this Province, praying a Removal of the Courts of Justice and Prisoll from where they are now held, to the publick Square in *Charles-Town*, allotted for that Purpose by the Commissioners for said Town, pursuant to an Act of Assembly passed in 1742.—And also for an Act to pass for the Assessment of such a Sum or Quantity of Tobacco, as may be deemed sufficient for erecting a Court House and Prison on said Square. (3w)

Frederick County, *Maryland*.

SKIPTON RACES.

To be run for at Skipton, *on Tuesday the 15th of* September,

A PURSE of Twenty Pounds, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best of Three Three Mile Heats, to carry Weight for Inches, *viz.* A Horse, &c. of 14 Hands high, to carry 126 Pounds, Saddle and Bridle included, and to raise and fall 14 Pounds the first Inch, and 7 Pounds for every Inch they may be higher or lower.

On Wednesday the 16th, at the same Place, will be run for, a Purse of Ten Pounds, with the Entrance Money of the first Day added, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best of Three Three Mile Heats, to carry 9 Stone, Bridle and Saddle included.

On Thursday the 17th, at the same Place, will be run for, the Entrance Money of the second Day, a Sweep-Stakes, blooded Horses excepted.

The Horses for the first and second Day to be entered with *Moses Rawlings*, on Monday the 14th of *September*, and to pay, if a Subscriber, One Shilling in the Pound, if not, Two Shillings, and if at the Post double, the winning Horse, &c. the first Day only excepted.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine all Disputes that may arise. (tse)

SARAH CHILTON

BEGS Leave to inform the Publick, that she has opened Tavern in that large and commodious Brick House in *Baltimore-Street*, *Baltimore-Town*, opposite to the House where Messr. *Ashburne* and *Plair* lately lived. She hath furnished herself with a Stock of excellent Liquors and other Necessaries, and is provided with good Stables and Provender for Horses. She humbly hopes for the Favour and Countenance of the Publick, and flatters herself she will be able to give Satisfaction to those who may think proper to favour her with their Company.

Lower Marlborough, July 20th 1772.

THIS is once more to desire all Persons indebted to the Subscriber to make Payment by the last of *August*; those who neglect may depend on being dealt with as the Law directs, without Respect of Persons, which will be very disagreeable to

Their humble Servant,
(4w) DANMUND CRAMPHIN.

RAN away from the Subscriber near the City of *Annapolis*, on the 26th Day of this Inst. *July*, a Convict Servant Man, named GEORGE BATHUM, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, born in the West of *England*, a thick well set Fellow, of a ruddy Complexion, and short black Hair: Had on, when he went away, a Felt Hat about half worn, an Osnabrig Shirt and Crocus Trousers; he is much addicted to Liquor, and when drunk is very impudent. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that he may be had again, if taken up out of the County shall have 3 Pounds Currency, if 20 Miles from Home 40 Shillings, if 10 Miles 30 Shillings, if within 10 Miles 20 shillings, and all reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

SAMUEL HOWARD.

COMMITTED to *Anne Arundel* County Jail, as a Runaway, an elderly Negro Man, calls himself *Will*, says he belongs to *William Lyles* in *Prince-George's* County. His Master is desired to take him away and pay Charges to

JOHN CLAPHAM, Sheriff.

Prince-George's County, *July* 21, 1772.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway a Negro Woman, who ſays her Name is *Esther*, and that ſhe belongs to a certain *George Neal* near *Baltimore-Town*. Her Maſter is deſired to pay Charges and take her from

(2w) RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Rutland*, jun. taken up as a Stray, a ſmall dark bay Horſe, about 11 Hands high, marked with the Letter P on the near Shoulder and Buttock, is wounded on the near Shoulder, which runs very much, trots, paces and gallops. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Zachariah Ellis*, in *Frederick* County, about 6 Miles below the Mouth of *Monocktacy*, on *Patowmack* River, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, is ſhod before, branded on the near Thigh ſomething like 16, has a Star on her Forehead, and has got a turn-up Leather Collar and a Bell, ſcratched on the Staple with IH. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at *Charles Carroll's* Plantation, beyond *Elk-Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a dun Pieball Mare, her Head almoſt all white, Four white Legs, nigh 13 Hands high. The Owner may have her on proving Property and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

By Way of publick Vendue, on the Premiſes, the 3d of September *next, the following Tracts of Land*, viz.

NEW-YORK, containing 180 Acres (very well wooded and watered) improved, with an Orchard, conſiſting of Apple and Peach Trees, a Dwelling Houſe, 24 Feet long, 16 wide, Plank floored and ſhedded, a very good logged Houſe and Tobacco Houſe double ſhedded.——Part of *Wollifton's* Manor, containing 183 Acres, with a Dwelling Houſe 16 Feet ſquare, ſhedded, Kitchen, Quarter, Corn Houſe, and a large Tobacco Houſe almoſt new. The above Tracts of Land are very level, ſuitable for either planting or farming, in good Repair, and commodiouſly ſituated, for fiſhing or fowling, on *Cuckold's-Creek*, in *Cob-Neck*, *Charles* County. They will be ſold, jointly or ſeverally, as ſhall appear moſt convenient, and a general Warranty given for each of them. Credit will be given for Half the Caſh, on giving Bond and good Security to

(w6) RAPHAEL BOARMAN, jun.

DANIEL KING, BRASS FOUNDER,

At the Sign of the Bell *and* Brand, *in* Front-Street, *near* Walnut-Street, Philadelphia,

TAKES this Method to acquaint the Ladies and Gentlemen of *Maryland*, that he intends for *Annapolis* about the End of this Month or the Beginning of *Auguſt*, with a neat Aſſortment of Braſs Fire Dogs and Fenders, Fire Shovels and Tongs, and Chimney Backs for the ſame, on a new Conſtruction, to be fixed in a neat Manner to Marble, Tile or Wood; all which he can with Safety ſay are neater and more to Order than any yet made on the Continent; they are equal in Strength to any Iron Fire Dogs, and much eaſier kept clean. As ſaid *King* ſerved his Apprenticeſhip in *London*, and worked in ſome of the beſt Shops in *England*, he flatters himſelf he can ſell his Work as cheap and give his Employers as much Satisfaction, as though they were to import them. He purpoſes to open his Work at Mr. *John Warren's* Tavern in *Annapolis*, where Orders will be received and punctually complied with, by their humble Servant,

DANIEL KING.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A WHEELWRIGHT, who thoroughly underſtands his Buſineſs, either to be hired or bought. Good Encouragement will be given by *John Cavender*, near the Dock in *Annapolis*.

Prince-George's County, *July* 14, 1772.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway, *Joſeph Loveday*, ſays he belongs to the Hon. Col. *John Tayloe* in *Virginia*. His Maſter is deſired to pay Charges and take him from

(2w) RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

July 14, 1772.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLICK VENDUE,

On Wedneſday the 19*th Day of* Auguſt *next, at the Houſe of* Samuel Swearingham, *in* Frederick-Town,

A TRACT or Parcel of Land called *Pleaſant Plain*, containing One Hundred Acres, more or leſs, lying on the main Road leading from *Annapolis* to *Frederick Town*, and within 12 Miles of ſaid Town. Likewiſe a young Negro Wench, who has always been brought up to Houſe Work, and underſtands every Thing that is neceſſary to be done in a Houſe. The Sale to be for ready Current Money, Sterling Caſh, or good *London* Bills of Exchange. THOMAS RUTLAND, jun.

Baltimore, *July* 4, 1772.

WILLIAM HAMMOND

Has juſt imported, in the Hope, *Capt.* Hooper, *the* Choptank, *Capt.* Coward, *from* London, *and the* Cicely, *Capt.* Hanby, *from* Liverpool,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of *European* and *East India* Goods, ſuitable to the Seaſon, which he will ſell Wholeſale, at his Store in Mr. *Gough's* Buildings, on very reaſonable Terms, for Caſh, Country Produce, or ſhort Credit. (6w)

TO BE SOLD,

Purſuant to the laſt Will and Teſtament of Henry Hall, *of* Anne-Arundel *County*,

ALL the Lands belonging to the Deceaſed, lying in *Frederick* County, in Two large Bodies, *viz.*

Part of *Middle Plantation*, on the Branches of *Linganore*, being all that Tract of Land not heretofore ſold out or contracted for by the Teſtator in his Life Time, containing in the Part now to be ſold about Three Thouſand Acres. The Soil in ſome Places good, in others ſtoney and broken; the whole full of Timber, and within Ten Miles of *Frederick-Town*.

The other Lands lie on the Branches of *Bennett's* Creek, conſiſting chiefly of the *Henry and Elizabeth enlarged*; alſo ſome leſſer Tracts lying contiguous, ſuch as *Ebony Marſh*, *The Land of Promiſe*, *Miller's Grove*, *Partnerſhip*, and others adjoining, containing upwards of Three Thouſand Acres; within Fourteen Miles of *Frederick-Town* and Thirty from *George-Town*; Plenty of Rail Timber and Firewood, and in ſome Places Meadow Ground: Alſo an excellent Mill Seat, and one of the beſt Ranges for Stock in that County; the Land good for Wheat or Tobacco.

The Sale to begin at *Frederick-Town*, on the Thurſday of *Frederick* County *Auguſt* Court.——The Title is thought to be indiſputable. The Heir at Law, who is now of Age, will join in the Deeds if required. The Terms will be made known on the Day of Sale. Attendance will be given by

THOMAS WATKINS, } acting
THOMAS HENRY HALL, } Executors.

Annapolis, *July* 15, 1772.

THE Subſcriber, having furniſhed himſelf with Two compleat Workmen in the Shoemaking Buſineſs, acquaints the Publick, that he makes all Kinds of Mens Shoes, Ladies Silk and Stuff ditto, in the neateſt Manner: Alſo Boots at a low and reaſonable Price.

(3w) JOHN HOWARD.

Charles-Town, *Cecil* County, *July* 7, 1772.

IN conſequence of ſeveral Barrels of Fiſh being ſtolen at different Times, ſince the Middle of *May* laſt, from the Subſcriber's Fiſhery near *Charles-Town*, as well as from ſundry other Perſons near the ſame Place, and having received Intelligence of a Couple of ſmall Schooners cruiſing in *Elk* River, whoſe Manner of trading was ſuſpicious, I procured a Couple of Veſſels to go in Search of them, who were ſo fortunate as to overtake them. The People belonging to the Schooners ſeeing themſelves purſued, and being conſcious of guilt, forſook their Veſſels, and made their Eſcape to Shore. There were found on Board ſeveral Barrels of Herrings and Shad, ſome of them the very Fiſh ſtolen from me, and ſome belonging to others, who have ſince made their Property appear; there was alſo on Board a Quantity of Seine Rope, Tobacco, Ship Blocks, and ſundry other ſmall Things, which I preſume were ſtolen; the Owners, upon proving their Property, and paying their proportional Part of the Expence, may have them again; and the Veſſels (unleſs claimed by the Owners within Two Months) will be ſold by publick Vendue, to defray the Expence and Damage ſuſtained on the Occaſion.

(w4) EDWARD PARKER.

ROBERT BUCHANAN

Has juſt imported, in the Hope, *Capt.* Hooper, *from* London, *and has for Sale, upon the loweſt Terms, wholeſale or retail, at the Store next Door below the Coffee Houſe*,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of Goods, amongſt which is a Variety of genteel Silks, Chintzes, Millenery and Broad Clothes; beſt Hyſon Tea at 20*s.* fine Green at 12*s.* 6*d.* ſuperfine Bohea at 10*s.* and common Bohea at 5*s. per lb.*

TO BE SOLD,

THE Time of an indented Servant Man, by Trade a Cabinetmaker and Houſe Joiner, who has about Three Years to ſerve. For Particulars enquire of the Printer.

THE MANAGERS of the ANNAPOLIS LOTTERY, at their Meeting on the 4th of this Inſtant, have reſolved to begin the Drawing on Thurſday the Tenth of *September* next; any Tickets then undiſpoſed of will be taken at the Riſque of the Lottery. The Numbers, Blanks and Prizes, are now rolling up.

Virginia, *June* 10, 1772.

To be LET to the loweſt Bidder, on the Firſt Monday in Auguſt next, *in* Loudoun *County, in the Pariſh of Cameron*,

THE building a Brick Church, 53 by 42 Feet in the Clear, 28 Feet high, or not to exceed 2226 Feet ſuperficial Meaſure, with a Gallery.

The Subſcribers will meet on the Day aforeſaid, at a Spring on *Joſhua Ewan's* Land, near *Sugarland Run*, in ſaid Pariſh, about Five Miles from *Patowmack* River, in order to agree for the building the ſame. It is deſired, that all thoſe who may attend, with a view to undertake the ſame, will bring Plans agreeable to the above Dimenſions.

JAMES LANE, } Churchwardens.
JAMES COLEMAN, }

TO BE SOLD,

At Alexandria, *on Monday the* 17*th of* Auguſt *next*,

THE *Merryland* Tract of Land, containing 6300 Acres, ſituate in *Frederick* County and Province of *Maryland*.

This Land was formerly adverтiſed to be ſold on the 28th Day of *May* laſt, at *Frederick-Town*, but by ſome Miſunderſtanding betwixt the Buyers and Sellers nothing was done; we have therefore determined to diſpoſe of the whole together, and ſhall ſtrike it off to the higheſt Bidder at the Time and Place abovementioned.

As it has already been ſufficiently deſcribed in the former Advertiſements, it is needleſs now to particularize it again, for it is very well known to be an exceeding valuable Tract. Thoſe inclinable to view the Land will pleaſe apply to Mr. *Charles Beatty* at *Frederick-Town*, who is perfectly well acquainted with it, and will faithfully ſhew the whole.

One Third of the Purchaſe Money muſt be paid down, One Third in Twelve Months, and the other Third in Two Years, from the Sale, bearing Intereſt from the Date. Immediate Poſſeſſion will be given, and a moſt clear and undoubted Title will be made to the Purchaſers, by

ADAM STEUART,
THOMAS MONTGOMERIE,
CUMBERLAMD WILSON.

P. S. It having been reported at the laſt Sale, that this land bore a Quitrent of 10 *per Cent.* we think it neceſſary to inform the Publick, that it pays no more than 4½, which a Sight of the Patent now in our Poſſeſſion will ſufficiently ſhew.

JOHN BALL

HEREBY informs the Publick in general, and his Friends in particular, that he has removed from the Houſe wherein he lately kept Tavern, to the Houſe of Mr. *Jonathan Pinkney* near the Town Gate, which was formerly kept by Mrs. *M'Cleod*, where he now keeps Tavern, and begs the Continuance of his former Cuſtomers. He aſſures all thoſe who ſhall pleaſe to favour him with their Company, that it ſhall be his conſtant Study and Endeavour to give Satisfaction. (t.f.)

ANNAPOLIS RACES

Will begin on Tueſday the 6*th of* October *next*.

THERE will be Four Days Sport, a particular Account of which will be ſpeedily inſerted in this Gazette.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

July 16, 1772.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Annapolis*, on the 27th of laſt Month, a Negro Man named NAT, 20 Years old, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a ſmooth faced likely well made Fellow: Had on, a Felt Hat, old Fearnought Jacket, old blue Cloth under ditto, Oſnabrig Shirt and Crocus Breeches. Whoever takes up and delivers the ſaid Negro to his Maſter ſhall receive 20 Shillings, if above 10 Miles from Home 40 Shillings, and if out of the Province the above Reward, paid by

BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Veſtry of *St. Anne's* Pariſh intend to prefer a Petition to the next General Aſſembly of this Province, for an Act to paſs for the Aſſeſſment of a Sum not exceeding One Hundred and Sixty Thouſand Pounds of Tobacco, on the Inhabitants of the ſaid Pariſh, for the Purpoſe of erecting a new Church in the City of *Annapolis*.

Signed per Order,
FREDERICK GREEN, Regiſter.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

Frederick County, *June* 18, 1772.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, the 16th Inſtant, an *Iriſh* Servant Man, named PATRICK CANNON, between 40 and 45 Years of Age, about 6 Feet high, gray Hair, and a remarkable crooked Finger on his right Hand: Had on a Claret colour'd Coat, a ſtrip'd flannel Waiſtcoat, a blue Cotton Jacket, white Pluſh Breeches, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, One Check ditto, Two Hats, Three Pair of Stockings, Crocus Trouſers, and ſome other Cloathing. It is ſuſpected he has a Paſs, and it is probable he will change his Cloathing. He pretends to ſpeak bad *Engliſh*. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and ſecures him ſo as his Maſter may get him again, ſhall receive the above Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

(w3) CHARLES PERRY.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, containing about 800 Acres, ſituate in *Baltimore* County, near to *Hood's* Mill, on *Pataſco* Falls, and within One Mile of ſaid Mill, and within Four Miles of Two other Merchant Mills, that always give *Baltimore-Town* Price for Wheat, and within Ten Miles of ſaid Town. The Soil is good for Grain or Graſs, and has an extenſive Range. For Particulars enquire of *Edward Cook*, at Mr. *William Ottey's*, adjoining to ſaid Land.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be ſold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

THE

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the laſt SESSION of ASSEMBLY.

"Let them alone, George, *printers*, you know, are no Game for you."

May 8. A discovery of great consequence is just made in the physical world, which is, that antimony is a sovereign remedy in fevers, in warm climates particularly, and recovered several men on board the Juno, Capt. Stott, in her voyage to Falkland's islands, after the usual methods were used in vain.

May 9. It is said that Zell will be only a temporary retreat for the Queen of Denmark; as it is resolved that she shall return to England when matters have somewhat subsided.

May 10. Notwithstanding all the preparations at Zell, for the reception of her Danish Majesty, we have received a letter from Copenhagen, of very good authority, dated the 5th instant, which assures us, that the Queen Matilda is so insurmountable, that she has absolutely and finally declared, she will upon no consideration whatever be separated from the King; and that she persists in protesting against the consistorial decree of April the 6th, by which she was sentenced to be divorced from her royal consort, she still resolutely insists and persists, that she is either guilty or innocent; if the former, then she demands the same punishment that has been inflicted upon struensee and Brandt; if the latter, then she demands, as a matter of right, an ample restitution of her honour and royal dignity. This resolution has greatly embarrassed the Court of Copenhagen, and the result of it remains as yet a mystery of state.

May 12. Major Rogers, who was so serviceable in the command of a body of irregulars last war in America, has just obtained a commission from his Majesty for finding out the north-west passage in that quarter. He is to be allowed 3 l. a day for himself, and four shillings each for fifty companions of his own chusing. From the intimate acquaintance this gentleman has with the country, his knowledge of the Indian language, and, above all, having the object much at heart, the scheme seems to presage a very successful issue.

May 16. On Thursday the House of Commons agreed to the following resolutions, viz.

That, after the expiration of the present drawback of the duties of the customs upon tea exported to Ireland and the British plantations, a drawback be allowed of three-fifth parts of the duties of customs payable upon the importation of such teas, for a limited time.

May 19. Advice is received from Sir Robert Murray Keith, that the Court of Denmark are plotting something more against the Queen, in order to take her off; but that he apprehends, before they proceed any further against her, some other persons, who are well wishers to her, will be cut off; it having been noticed to the publick, that there will be more executions in a short time.

Orders are given for a fleet of ships to be ready to sail at a few hours notice; their destination is not known, but it is imagined they are bound up the Baltic.

Letters from the north of Ireland advise, that the insurrections of the populace are entirely quelled, and that many of the insurgents, who were chiefly composed of farmers and weavers, are preparing to embark for America.

BOSTON, *July* 9.

Two English seamen arrived last week in a vessel at Nantucket from the Havanna, where we learn they have been imprisoned six or seven years. One of them came to town this week, and informs, that he was taken on the Spanish Main, and carried prisoner to the Havanna, for being concerned in an illicit trade (as it is phrased by those who do not chuse to resent the behaviour of the Dons). During his imprisonment he suffered many hardships, and at length, growing old and infirm, was released. He says, there were forty-six stout able-bodied English seamen imprisoned at the Havanna when he left it.

PHILADELPHIA, *July* 20.

By a gentleman who came passenger with Capt. Peel, from Lisbon, we have advice, that the ship Polly, Capt. Carmichael, from London for Maryland, having sprung a leak at sea, put into Lisbon in great distress; she had three feet water in her hold, and all the pumps choaked with the ballast. It is imagined she will be detained some time to refit.

The Publick are cautioned to beware of counterfeit Pennsylvania TWENTY SHILLING Bills, as some are passing among us, dated May 1, 1760; they are badly cut on copper plate, and may easily be distinguished, the paper looking whiter and smoother than the true bills.

ANNAPOLIS, JULY 30.

The Publick may be assured that the Small-Pox has not spread, not a single Person having taken the Infection, except those who were confined to the House Lisbon for their Reception, which is near 100 Yards distant from any other Dwelling House, and as the Guard is still continued, there is the greatest Reason to believe that the Town will be clear of it by the ensuing *August* Court.

TO THE PRINTER.

IT is said to be the opinion of some of our lawyers, that the act for the establishment of religious worship in this province, made in the year 1701-2, is, for some reason or other, absolutely null and void. Now, I find that this act repeals the act of 1700, entitled, *An Act for the Service of Almighty God, &c.* But can a law be repealed by a writing, which is a meer dead letter? Can the act of 1701-2, void *ab initio*, repeal the act of 1700?—May it not, then, be a question, whether, upon a supposition of the nullity of the act of 1701-2, the act of 1700 is not now in full force?—What is the act of 1700? Does it not impose the payment of 40 per poll on the people?—Does it give less power to the clergy; is it less oppressive to the people?—Does it breathe a more benign and charitable spirit on Dissenters?——It is to be hoped, that those, who have an opportunity, will oblige the publick with a copy of this act in the Gazette; that we may be able to determine whether it will be worth our pains to destroy an old establishment, if we must be subject to another, perhaps not less exceptionable. And may we not expect from our lawyers, such of them especially as are our representatives, a full, frank, and explicit declaration of their sentiments upon both these acts? Surely, they will not, any longer, suffer the people to be bewildered in doubt and perplexity; when it is in their power to give light to their steps, and direct them to the right road.

Tell us not of the policy of suppressing opinions. That policy is nothing but trick and artifice, which would shut out truth from the eyes of a people in matters of important concern to them—of a people especially, who wish to pursue it; and desire nothing more ardently than to be informed how to conduct themselves with justice and propriety.—Here, however, I must enter my caveat against *haranguing*, as the proper mode of conveying instruction. It is, *at best*, too partial a communication for an object of universal concern. But, in the hands of *men of art*, it is too apt to palm upon us chicanery for argument; and, instead of advancing truth, is a powerful instrument of amusement and delusion; more especially, if we consider who make up the bulk of hearers upon these occasions.——No, let us have it in plain black and white; that we may weigh it with deliberation, exercise our judgments coolly upon it, and form our best conclusions upon the genuine merits of the question.

I am yours,

JACK FRANK.

Annapolis, July 29, 1772.

THE Members of the *Maryland* JOCKEY CLUB are desired to meet at the Coffee-House, to Dinner, on Tuesday next.

W. EDDIS, Secretary.

Lower Marlborough, July 21, 1772.

WHEREAS sundry Gentlemen of the Counties of *St. Mary's*, *Charles*, *Calvert*, and *Prince-George*, have expressed a Desire that the Free-School Lands of each of these Counties should be sold, and that the Money arising from the Sales thereof should be put into a general Fund, for the Purpose of forming an Academy, or Seminary of Education, in some healthy and agreeable Situation, the most convenient to the said Counties collectively: And whereas also, a Sum of Twelve Hundred Pounds, and upwards has already been subscribed by many Individuals of these and other Counties, towards the Furtherance of so benevolent a Scheme: We, the underwritten, elected by a Majority of the Subscribers of the said Twelve Hundred Pounds, as Trustees of the above Plan, conceiving it to be of very general and considerable Importance, do request a general Attendance of the Inhabitants of each of the said Counties, at *Lower Marlborough*, on the Monday after the Fourth Tuesday in *August*, being the 31st Day of the said Month, in order more maturely to consider and instruct us where and how finally to complete this useful Design.

BENEDICT CALVERT,
WILLIAM FITZHUGH,
GEORGE PLATER,
HENRY ADDISON,
THOMAS THORNTON,
(4w) THOMAS JOHN CLAGETT,
JONATHAN BOUCHER,
THOMAS GANTT,
EDWARD GANTT,
BENJAMIN MACKALL,

Alexandria, July 12, 1772.

TO BE SOLD AT ALEXANDRIA,

On Monday the 17th of August *next, being Court Day,*

THE Brig *Swift*, together with all her Appurtenances; she is of the Burden of 100 Tons and upwards, and well calculated for the *West India* Trade, in good Order for taking in a Cargo immediately.——Or if any are inclined to charter the said Brig, they may know the Terms, by applying to

(3w) CARLYLE and DALTON,
or
ROBERT ADAM, and Co.

Baltimore, July 25, 1772.

M. E V A N S,

Lately arrived from London; *at her Store, next Door to* Benjamin Rogers, *Esq; in* Baltimore,

RESPECTFULLY begs Leave to acquaint the Ladies in *Annapolis*, and the Publick in general, that she has imported the fashionable Net and Gauze Bonnets, Terezas to match, Hats and long Cloaks in the French gray Queen's Silk, ditto in white Sarsenet, ditto in black Mode, Caps called the masquerading Caps, Fillets for young Ladies, Bonnets and Tippets for ditto, Puddings for Children, Italian Egrets, fashionable Stomachers and Sleeve-knots with Italian Flowers, Trimmings for Gowns, Paste Combs, Sprigs, Pins, Ear-rings, Danglers, Stay-hooks to match, ditto in Garnets, ditto in blue Stone set with Marquasites, worked Aprons, black Velvet Collars, which are now worn instead of Necklaces, with Danglers, *&c. &c. &c.*

MR. L'ARGENTAU

BEGS leave to acquaint the Publick, that he has opened his Dancing School in *Baltimore*, and that he proposes in about three Weeks to open another in *Annapolis*; in both which Places his utmost Abilities and Diligence will be used, to obtain the Favour and Approbation of those Ladies and Gentlemen who think proper to countenance him; he having now determined to continue his Schools in the above Places, as long as he meets with Encouragement. (tf.)

THE Subscriber takes this Method of acquainting the Publick, that he has opened an Academy, in *Upper Marlborough*, where he proposes teaching the *Greek* and *Latin* Languages, Geography, Mathematicks, and other inferior Branches of Literature, at Four Guineas each Scholar per Annum; at which Place, he intends to deliver an Oration, on the Advantages of a liberal Education, on Wednesday the 26th of *August* next. Those Gentlemen, who are pleased to favour him with their Sons, are desired to make speedy Application to

Their very humble Servant,

(w3) ARTHUR WALKER, A.M.

July 13, 1772.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Number of the Inhabitants of *Cecil* County do intend to prefer a Petition to the next General Assembly of this Province, praying a Removal of the Courts of Justice and Publick from where they are now held, to the publick Square in *Charlestown*, allotted for that Purpose by the Commissioners for said Town, pursuant to an Act of Assembly passed in 1742.——And also for an Act to pass for the Assessment of such a Sum or Quantity of Tobacco as may be deemed sufficient for erecting a Court House and Prison on said Square. (3w)

Frederick County, *Maryland*.

SKIPTON RACES.

To be run for at Skipton, *on Tuesday the 15th of* September,

A PURSE of Twenty Pounds, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best of Three Three Mile Heats, to carry Weight for Inches, viz. A Horse, &c. of 14 Hands high, to carry 126 Pounds, Saddle and Bridle included, and to raise and fall 7 Pounds the first Inch, and 7 Pounds for every Inch they may be higher or lower.

On Wednesday the 16th, at the same Place, will be run for, a Purse of Ten Pounds, with the Entrance Money of the first Day added, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, the best of Three Three Mile Heats, to carry 9 Stone, Bridle and Saddle included.

On Thursday the 17th, at the same Place, will be run for, the Entrance Money of the second Day, a Sweep-Stakes, blooded Horses excepted.

The Horses for the first and second Day to be entered with *Moses Rawlings*, on Monday the 14th of *September*, and to pay, if a Subscriber, One Shilling in the Pound, if not, Two Shillings, and if at the Post double, the winning Horse, &c. the first Day only excepted.

Proper Judges will be appointed to determine all Disputes that may arise. (tw3)

SARAH CHILTON

BEGS Leave to inform the Publick, that she has opened Tavern in that large and commodious Brick House in *Baltimore-Street*, *Baltimore-Town*, opposite to the House where Messrs. *Alburtus* and *Plant* lately lived. She hath furnished herself with a Store of excellent Liquors and other Necessaries, and is provided with good Stables and Provender for Horses. She humbly hopes for the Favour and Countenance of the Publick, and flatters herself she will be able to give Satisfaction to those who may think proper to favour her with their Company.

Lower Marlborough, July 20, 1772.

THIS is once more to desire all Persons indebted to the Subscriber to make Payment by the last of *August*; those who neglect may depend on being dealt with as the Law directs, without Respect of Persons, which will be very disagreeable to

Their humble Servant,

(4w) DANMUND CRAMPHIN.

RAN away from the Subscriber near the City of *Annapolis*, on the 26th Day of this Inst. *July*, a Convict Servant Man, named GEORGE BATHUM, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, born in the West of *England*, a thick well set Fellow, of a ruddy Complexion, and short black Hair: Had on, when he went away, a Felt Hat about half worn, an Osnabrig Shirt and Crocus Trousers; he is much addicted to Liquor, and when drunk is very impudent. Whoever takes up and secures the said Servant, so that he may be had again, if taken up out of the County shall have 3 Pounds Currency, if 20 Miles from Home 40 Shillings, if 10 Miles 30 Shillings, if within 10 Miles 20 shillings, and all reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

SAMUEL HOWARD.

COMMITTED to *Anne Arundel* County Jail, as a Runaway, an elderly Negro Man, calls himself *Will*, says he belongs to *William Lyles* in *Prince-George's* County. His Master is desired to take him away and pay Charges to

JOHN CLAPHAM, Sheriff.

Prince-George's County, *July* 21, 1772.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway, a Negro Woman, who ſays her Name is *Esther*, and that ſhe belongs to a certain *George Neal* near *Baltimore-Town*. Her Maſter is deſired to pay Charges and take her from

(2w) RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Rutland*, jun. taken up as a Stray, a ſmall dark bay Horſe, about 11 Hands high, marked with the Letter P on the near Shoulder and Buttock, is wounded on the near Shoulder, which runs very much, trots, paces and gallops. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Zachariah Ellis*, in *Frederick* County, about 6 Miles below the Mouth of *Monocksey*, on *Patowmack* River, taken up as a Stray, a black Mare, about 13 Hands high, paces and trots, is ſhod before, branded on the near Thigh ſomething like 16, has a Star on her Forehead, and has got a turn-up Leather Collar and a Bell, ſcratched on the Staple with IH. The Owner may have her again on proving Property and paying Charges.

THERE is at *Charles Carroll's* Plantation, beyond *Elk-Ridge*, taken up as a Stray, a dun Pieball Mare, her Head almoſt all white, Four white Legs, high 13 Hands high. The Owner may have her on proving Property and paying Charges.

TO BE SOLD,

By Way of publick Vendue, on the Premiſes, the 3d of September *next, the following Tracts of Land*, viz.

NEW-YORK, containing 180 Acres (very well wooded and watered) improved, with an Orchard, conſiſting of Apple and Peach Trees, a Dwelling Houſe, 24 Feet long, 16 wide, Plank floored and ſhedded, a very good logged Houſe and Tobacco Houſe double ſhedded.——Part of *Wolliſton's* Manor, containing 183 Acres, with a Dwelling Houſe 16 Feet ſquare, ſhedded, Kitchen, Quarter, Corn Houſe, and a large Tobacco Houſe almoſt new. The above Tracts of Land are very level, ſuitable for either planting or farming, in good Repair, and commodiouſly ſituated, for fiſhing or fowling, on *Cuckold's-Creek*, in *Coh-Neck*, *Charles* County. They will be ſold, jointly or ſeverally, as ſhall appear moſt convenient, and a general Warranty given for each of them. Credit will be given for Half the Caſh, on giving Bond and good Security to

(w6) RAPHAEL BOARMAN, jun.

DANIEL KING, BRASS FOUNDER,

At the Sign of the Bell *and* Brand, *in* Front-Street, *near* Walnut-Street, Philadelphia,

TAKES this Method to acquaint the Ladies and Gentlemen of *Maryland*, that he intends for *Annapolis* about the End of this Month or the Beginning of *Auguſt*, with a neat Aſſortment of Braſs Fire Dogs and Fenders, Fire Shovels and Toogs, and Chimney Backs for the ſame, on a new Conſtruction, to be fixed in a neat Manner to Marble, Tile or Wood; all which he can with Safety ſay are neater and more to Order than any yet made on the Continent; they are equal in Strength to any Iron Fire Dogs, and much eaſier kept clean. As ſaid *King* ſerved his Apprenticeſhip in *London*, and worked in ſome of the beſt Shops in *England*, he flatters himſelf he can ſell his Work as cheap and give his Employers as much Satisfaction, as though they were to import them. He purpoſes to open his Work at Mr. *John Warren's* Tavern in *Annapolis*, where Orders will be received and punctually complied with, by their humble Servant,

DANIEL KING.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A WHEELWRIGHT, who thoroughly underſtands his Buſineſs, either to be hired or bought. Good Encouragement will be given by *John Cavender*, near the Dock in *Annapolis*.

Prince-George's County, *July* 14, 1772.

COMMITTED to my Cuſtody as a Runaway, *Joſeph Loweday*, ſays he belongs to the Hon. Col. *John Tayloe* in *Virginia*. His Maſter is deſired to pay Charges and take him from

(2w) RALPH FORSTER, Sheriff.

July 14, 1772.

TO BE SOLD AT PUBLICK VENDUE,

On Wedneſday the 19th Day of Auguſt *next, at the Houſe of* Samuel Swearingham, *in* Frederick-Town,

A TRACT or Parcel of Land called *Pleaſant Plain*, containing One Hundred Acres, more or leſs, lying on the main Road leading from *Annapolis* to *Frederick Town*, and within 12 Miles of ſaid Town. Likewiſe a young Negro Wench, who has always been brought up to Houſe Work, and underſtands every Thing that is neceſſary to be done in a Houſe. The Sale to be for Ready Current Money, Sterling Caſh, or good *London* Bills of Exchange. THOMAS RUTLAND, jun.

Baltimore, July 4, 1772.

WILLIAM HAMMOND

Has juſt imported, in the Hope, *Capt.* Hooper, *the* Choptank, *Capt.* Coward, *from* London, *and the* Cicely, *Capt.* Hanby, *from* Liverpool,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of *European* and *East India* Goods, ſuitable to the Seaſon, which he will ſell Wholeſale, at his Store in Mr. *Gough's* Buildings, on very reaſonable Terms, for Caſh, Country Produce, or ſhort Credit. (6w)

TO BE SOLD,

Purſuant to the laſt Will and Teſtament of Henry Hall, *of* Anne-Arundel *County*,

ALL the Lands belonging to the Deceaſed, lying in *Frederick* County, in Two large Bodies, *viz.*

Part of *Middle Plantation*, on the Branches of *Linganore*, being all that Tract of Land not heretofore ſold out or contracted for by the Teſtator in his Life Time, containing in the Part now to be ſold about Three Thouſand Acres. The Soil in ſome Places good, in others ſtoney and broken; the whole full of Timber, and within Ten Miles of *Frederick-Town*.

The other Lands lie on the Branches of *Bennett's* Creek, conſiſting chiefly of the *Henry and Elizabeth enlarged*; alſo ſome leſſer Tracts lying contiguous, ſuch as *Ebony Marſh*, *The Land of Promiſe*, *Miller's Grove*, *Partnerſhip*, and others adjoining, containing upwards of Three Thouſand Acres; within Fourteen Miles of *Frederick-Town* and Thirty from *George-Town*; Plenty of Rail Timber and Firewood, and in ſome Places Meadow Ground: Alſo an excellent Mill Seat, and one of the beſt Ranges for Stock in that County; the Land good for Wheat or Tobacco.

The Sale to begin at *Frederick-Town*, on the Thurſday of *Frederick* County *Auguſt* Court.——The Title is thought to be indiſputable. The Heir at Law, who is now of Age, will join in the Deeds if required. The Terms will be made known on the Day of Sale. Attendance will be given by

THOMAS WATKINS, } acting
THOMAS HENRY HALL, } Executors.

Annapolis, July 15, 1772.

THE Subſcriber, having furniſhed himſelf with Two compleat Workmen in the Shoemaking Buſineſs, acquaints the Publick, that he makes all Kinds of Mens Shoes, Ladies Silk and Stuff ditto, in the neateſt Manner: Alſo Boots at a low and reaſonable Price.

(3w) JOHN HOWARD.

Charles-Town, Cecil County, *July* 7, 1772.

IN conſequence of ſeveral Barrels of Fiſh being ſtolen at different Times, ſince the Middle of *May* laſt, from the Subſcriber's Fiſhery near *Charles-Town*, as well as from ſundry other Perſons near the ſame Place, and having received Intelligence of a Couple of ſmall Schooners cruiſing in *Elk* River, whoſe Manner of trading was ſuſpicious, I procured a Couple of Veſſels to go in Search of them, who were ſo fortunate as to overtake them. The People belonging to the Schooners ſeeing themſelves purſued, and being conſcious of guilt, forſook their Veſſels, and made their Eſcape to Shore. There were found on Board ſeveral Barrels of Herrings and Shad, ſome of them the very Fiſh ſtolen from me, and ſome belonging to others, who have ſince made their Property appear; there was alſo on Board a Quantity of Seine Rope, Tobacco, Ship Blocks, and ſundry other ſmall Things, which I preſume were ſtolen; the Owners, upon proving their Property, and paying their proportional Part of the Expence, may have them again; and the Veſſels (unleſs claimed by the Owners within Two Months) will be ſold by publick Vendue, to defray the Expence and Damage ſuſtained on the Occaſion.

(w4) EDWARD PARKER.

ROBERT BUCHANAN

Has juſt imported, in the Hope, *Capt.* Hooper, *from* London, *and has for Sale, upon the loweſt Terms, wholeſale or retail, at the Store next Door below the Coffee Houſe*,

A GENERAL Aſſortment of Goods, amongſt which is a Variety of genteel Silks, Chintzes, Millenery and Broad Clothes; beſt Hyſon Tea at 20*s.* fine Green at 12*s.* 6*d.* ſuperfine Bohea at 10*s.* and common Bohea at 5*s. per lb.*

TO BE SOLD,

THE Time of an indented Servant Man, by Trade a Cabinetmaker and Houſe Joiner, who has about Three Years to ſerve. For Particulars enquire of the Printer.

THE MANAGERS of the ANNAPOLIS LOTTERY, at their Meeting on the 4th of this Inſtant, have reſolved to begin the Drawing on Thurſday the Tenth of *September* next; any Tickets then undiſpoſed of will be taken at the Riſque of the Lottery. The Numbers, Blanks and Prizes, are now rolling up.

Virginia, June 10, 1772.

To be LET to the loweſt Bidder, on the Firſt Monday in Auguſt next, *in* Loudoun *County, in the Pariſh of Cameron*,

THE building a Brick Church, 53 by 42 Feet in the Clear, 28 Feet high, or not to exceed 2226 Feet ſuperficial Meaſure, with a Gallery.

The Subſcribers will meet on the Day aforeſaid, at a Spring on *Joſhua Evans's* Land, near *Sugarland Run*, in ſaid Pariſh, about Five Miles from *Patowmack* River, in order to agree for the building the ſame. It is deſired, that all thoſe who may attend, with a view to undertake the ſame, will bring Plans agreeable to the above Dimenſions.

JAMES LANE, } Churchwardens.
JAMES COLEMAN, }

TO BE SOLD,

At Alexandria, *on Monday the 17th of* Auguſt *next*,

THE *Merryland* Tract of Land, containing 6300 Acres, ſituate in *Frederick* County and Province of *Maryland*.

This Land was formerly advertiſed to be ſold on the 28th Day of *May* laſt, at *Frederick-Town*, but by ſome Miſunderſtanding betwixt the Buyers and Sellers nothing was done; we have therefore determined to diſpoſe of the whole together, and ſhall ſtrike it off to the higheſt Bidder at the Time and Place abovementioned.

As it has already been ſufficiently deſcribed in the former Advertiſements, it is needleſs now to particularize it again, for it is very well known to be an exceeding valuable Tract. Thoſe inclinable to view the Land will pleaſe apply to Mr. *Charles Beatty* at *Frederick-Town*, who is perfectly well acquainted with it, and will faithfully ſhew the whole.

One Third of the Purchaſe Money muſt be paid down, One Third in Twelve Months, and the other Third in Two Years, from the Sale, bearing Intereſt from the Date. Immediate Poſſeſſion will be given, and a moſt clear and undoubted Title will be made to the Purchaſers, by

ADAM STEUART,
THOMAS MONTGOMERIE,
CUMBERLAMD WILSON.

P. S. It having been reported at the laſt Sale, that this Land bore a Quitrent of 10 *per Cent*, we think it neceſſary to inform the Publick, that it pays no more than 4½, which a Sight of the Patent now in our Poſſeſſion will ſufficiently ſhew.

JOHN BALL

HEREBY informs the Publick in general, and his Friends in particular, that he has removed from the Houſe wherein he lately kept Tavern, to the Houſe of Mr. *Jonathan Pinkney* near the Town Gate, which was formerly kept by Mrs. *M'Cleod*, where he now keeps Tavern, and begs the Continuance of his former Cuſtomers. He aſſures all thoſe who ſhall pleaſe to favour him with their Company, that it ſhall be his conſtant Study and Endeavour to give Satisfaction. (t.f.)

ANNAPOLIS RACES

Will begin on Tueſday the 6th of October *next*.

THERE will be Four Days Sport, a particular Account of which will be ſpeedily inſerted in this Gazette.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

July 16, 1772.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Annapolis*, on the 27th of laſt Month, a Negro Man named NAT, 20 Years old, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, a ſmooth faced likely well made Fellow: Had on, a Felt Hat, old Fearnought Jacket, old blue Cloth under ditto, Oſnabrig Shirt and Crocus Breeches. Whoever takes up and delivers the ſaid Negro to his Maſter ſhall receive 20 Shillings, if above 10 Miles from Home 40 Shillings, and if out of the Province the above Reward, paid by

BRICE T. B. WORTHINGTON.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Veſtry of *St. Anne's* Pariſh intend to prefer a Petition to the next General Aſſembly of this Province, for an Act to paſs for the Aſſeſſment of a Sum not exceeding One Hundred and Sixty Thouſand Pounds of Tobacco, on the Inhabitants of the ſaid Pariſh, for the Purpoſe of erecting a new Church in the City of *Annapolis*.

Signed per Order,

FREDERICK GREEN, Regiſter.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

Frederick County, *June* 18, 1772.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, the 16th Inſtant, an *Iriſh* Servant Man, named PATRICK CANNON, between 40 and 45 Years of Age, about 6 Feet high, gray Hair, and a remarkable crooked Finger on his right Hand: Had on a Claret colour'd Coat, a ſtrip'd flannel Waiſtcoat, a blue Cotton Jacket, white Pluſh Breeches, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, One Check ditto, Two Hats, Three Pair of Stockings, Crocus Trouſers, and ſome other Cloathing. It is ſuſpected he has a Paſs, and it is probable he will change his Cloathing. He pretends to ſpeak bad *Engliſh*. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and ſecures him ſo as his Maſter may get him again, ſhall receive the above Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

(w3) CHARLES PERRY.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of Land, containing about 800 Acres, ſituate in *Baltimore* County, near to *Hood's* Mill, on *Patapſco* Falls, and within One Mile of ſaid Mill, and within Four Miles of Two other Merchant Mills, that always give *Baltimore-Town* Price for Wheat, and within Ten Miles of ſaid Town. The Soil is good for Grain or Graſs, and has an extenſive Range. For Particulars enquire of *Edward Cook*, at Mr. *William Ottey's*, adjoining to ſaid Land.

JUST PUBLISHED,

And to be ſold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

THE

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS of the laſt SESSION of ASSEMBLY.

Annapolis, July 7, 1772.

WHEREAS I the Subscriber intend to leave this Province in a short Time, I hereby request all Persons indebted to me to make immediate Payment, and those who have any just Claims against me are desired to bring in their Accounts within 2 Months from the Date hereof, that they may be adjusted.

WILLIAM JOHNSON.

N. B. I have on Hand a Sloop's new Mainsail, which will suit a Vessel of about 28 or 30 Tons Burthen; likewise a Schooner's Mainsail half worn, something smaller, which I will dispose of on very reasonable Terms, for Cash only. W. J.

Just imported, in the Eden, *Capt.* Samuel Nicholson, *and to be sold, Wholesale and Retail, on the lowest Terms, by the Subscriber, in Church-street,* Annapolis,

A LARGE and genteel Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS.

THOMAS GASSAWAY, jun.

To be SOLD *by the* SUBSCRIBERS,

THREE Tracts of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, containing by Patent 610 Acres, which will be sold for a very reasonable Price. For Terms apply to

SAMUEL HOWARD
(tf) JOHN HOWARD.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Peter Fouble*, on the great Road that leads from *Baltimore-Town* to *Hanover*, taken up as a Stray, a black Horse, branded on the near Shoulder something like 8, is about 12 Hands and an Inch high, his near hind Foot white a little above the Hough, has a switch Tail and standing Mane, and appears to be about 6 Years old. The Owner may have him again on proving Property and paying Charges.

Annapolis, July 1, 1772.

We have just imported from London, *in Capt.* Hooper,

AN Assortment of Clothes, Linens, Silks, Millinery, Hosiery, Boots, Shoes, and Saddlery, which are to be disposed of at our Store, on the Front of the Dock, with a full Assortment of almost every Kind of dry Goods, at Wholesale or Retail, for a small Advance.

THOMAS HARWOOD, junr.
JOHN BRICE.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

July 6, 1772.

RAN away from the Subscribers, living near *Soldiers Delight*, in *Baltimore* County, *Maryland*, a dark Mulatto Slave, who goes by the Name of CHARLES HARDING, but formerly by the Name of DICK; about 30 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 Inches high, large Nose, hollow eyed, low Forehead, has upwards of Forty Scars on his Head of different Sizes, well made, has a small Scar on the upper Part of his Nose on the left Side, a small Scar on the right Side his under Lip, close knee'd, his Shins bend forwards, some Scars on the small of his legs occasioned by wearing of Irons, a large Scar on the Outside of his left Leg occasioned by a Burn, a Scar on one of his Thumbs, he has been unmercifully whipped from his Neck to his Knees, which he says was by his former Master, is a Carpenter and Joiner by Trade, and can paint, which he learned of *Lewis Allmorn*, of *Nanticoke* County in *Virginia*, who sold him to *Edward Vost*, a Bricklayer by Trade, and worked in sundry Parts of *Virginia*, and when the said Slave ran away from him, lived in *King and Queen* County near *Rapahannah*, got by Water to *Philadelphia*, and from thence travelled through *Lancaster* and *York* Counties to *Hanover-Town*, and worked there about a Year, and from thence into *Baltimore* County near *Baltimore-Town*, where he continued, from about the Year 1765 to the Year 1772, as a free Man, and since he left his former Masters in *Virginia*, has learnt to read and write, and to play on the Violin; it is possible he may forge a Pass and change his Name, as he has done before: Took with him a Castor Hat, a Suit of white Russia Drab Cloaths, a blue Cloth Coat, red striped Jacket, a new redish brown Broad-Cloth Jacket much too large for him, new darkish coloured Cotton-Velvet Breeches with large old fashioned Pocket Flaps, Shirts, Stockings and Shoes of different Sorts, and large plated Buckles. Whoever secures the above Slave in any Jail, so that his Masters get him again, shall receive Five Pounds, and if 50 Miles from Home Seven Pounds Ten Shillings, and if 100 Miles the above Reward, and reasonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

SAMUEL OWINGS, jun.
ALEXANDER WELLS.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY
For raising 1500 DOLLARS,
FOR CLEANING AND SECURING THE DOCK IN ANNAPOLIS.

Number of Prizes		Dollars.		Dollars.
1	of	2000	is	2000
1	of	1000	is	1000
2	of	500	are	1000
4	of	250	are	1000
5	of	100	are	500
10	of	50	are	500
25	of	20	are	500
50	of	10	are	500
750	of	4	are	3000
848 Prizes.				10000
4152 Blanks.				
5000 Tickets, at Two Dollars each, amount to				10000

BY the above SCHEME, there are more than Four Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes are subject to a Deduction of Fifteen *per Cent.* but as there are many of them very valuable, it is not doubted but the Tickets will very soon be disposed of, especially as a great Number of them are already engaged.

The Drawing will certainly begin on Thursday the Tenth of *September* next, in the Presence of Five of the Managers at least, and as many of the Adventurers as chuse to attend.

The Managers are, Mess. *Lancelot Jacques, William Reynolds, William Paca, Thomas Johnson, Thomas Jennings, Samuel Chase, James Tilghman, William Cook, Robert Couden, John Brice, Charles Wallace, John Davidson, Thomas Harwood, John Clapham, James Williams, Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, William Rooke, Robert Johnson, William Deards, James Brice, Colin Campbell, James Dundass, John Galloway, James Brooks,* and *Samuel Harvey Howard*; who are to give Bond, and be upon Oath for the faithful Discharge of their Trust.

A List of Prizes will be published in the Gazette, which will be ready to be paid in One Month after drawing. Those not demanded within Six Months will be deemed as generously given for the Emolument of the City.

** TICKETS may be had of any of the Managers.

JAMES DICK and STEWART

Have just imported, in the Betsey, *Capt.* James Hanrick, *from* London,

A LARGE Assortment of *European* and *East India* Goods, which they will sell cheap, either by Wholesale or Retail, at their Stores in *Church-Street, Annapolis*, and at *London-Town*. Among the abovementioned Goods are, Hyson, Bloon, Green and Bohea Teas, best *London* double and single refined Sugars, in small Casks of 3 cwt. each, Lintseed, Neatsfoot, Florence and Chamber Oil, and a large Assortment of China.

They have likewise for Sale, Sail Duck of all Numbers, Anchors from 1 ¼ to 12 cwt. Grapnels, and all Sorts of Ship Chandlery and Cordage, made at *Newington* Ropewalk, where all Orders are complied with in the most expeditious Manner. Also, old Madeira Wine, by the Pipe, Hogshead or Quarter Cask.

Annapolis, June 15, 1772.

N. B. As we propose soon to decline the retailing Business in *Annapolis*, we will dispose of the whole or any Part of our Goods at a very moderate Advance, for ready Money, Country Produce, or short Credit. And we beg the Favour, that such of our Customers who have not lately either discharged or settled their Accounts, would pay as soon as is convenient, or in the mean Time settle their Balance by Note or Bond, which will oblige

JAMES DICK & STEWART.

TO BE SOLD,

A LOT of Ground in the City of *Annapolis*, the Property of the late Capt. *James Reith*, whereon are a neat Brick Dwelling House, a good Stone Kitchen, and sundry other Improvements. For Terms apply to

JAMES WILLIAMS, Administrator.

N. B. All Persons indebted to the Estate of the said *James Reith*, either by Bond, Note, or open Account, are desired to make immediate Payment; and all those who have Demands against said Estate are requested to bring them in, legally proved, that they may be adjusted. (t.f.) J. W.

June 17, 1772.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 15th Instant, an indented Servant Man, named John Brand, a short thick Fellow, about 5 Feet high, short black Hair, very much pitted with the Small-Pox, and his right Eye very red; Had on, an Oznabrig Shirt and Trousers, Country made Shoes, an old Felt Hat, and Cotton Jacket; is supposed to have taken with him a brown Cloth Jacket with Mohair Buttons; and professes to be a Sermemaker and Groom. Whoever takes up the above Servant and secures him, so as his Master may have him, shall receive a Reward of One Pistole, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

STEPHEN STEWARD.

Annapolis, June 10, 1772.

THE Judges of the Land-Office having represented to his Excellency the Governor, that there are a great Number of Certificates in their Office unpatented, many of them are returned by virtue of Warrants, which issued more than Two Years ago, and others where the Two Years are near expiring;

His Excellency being desirous that those who purchased Warrants in the Lifetime of the late Lord Proprietary, should have the Benefit of such Warrants, has directed them to give publick Notice, that Patents are made out as usual, and that Applications for Warrants under the Proclamation will be received, and the Warrants issue to the first Discoverer, in preference to any other Person, whenever the Office shall be opened.

Signed per Order,
WILLIAM STEUART, Cl. Ld. Office.

Annapolis, June 4, 1772.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Ship Eden, *Capt.* Nicholson, *from* London, *and to be sold, on the most reasonable Terms, by the Subscribers, at their Store on the Front of the Dock in* Annapolis, *either Wholesale or Retail, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, or on short Credit,*

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June 22, 1772.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, in *Anne-Arundel* County and Province of *Maryland*, an *Irish* Convict Servant named *Lawrence Robertson*; appears to be about 16 or 17 Years of Age, slim made, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, swarthy Complexion, thin Visage, dark brown Hair, his Apparel but mean. Whoever secures the said Servant, and brings him Home, shall have a Reward of 20 Shillings if taken within 20 Miles, 30 Shillings if 30 Miles, and if a greater Distance 50 Shillings, besides what the Law allows.

JOHN DORSEY.

May 4, 1772.

RAN away from the Ship *Molly, William Maynard* Commander, then lying at *Benedict*, Two indented Servant Men; the one named ROBERT CUMMINS, by Trade a Barber and Peruke maker, is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, wears his own Hair of a light Colour tied behind: Had on when he went away, a dark brown Coat and Buckskin Breeches, and a Hat covered with Oilskin. The other named RICHARD JONES, by Trade a House Carpenter and Joiner, about the same Height as the former, wears his own dark Hair, and is pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on a light coloured Coat and dirty Buckskin Breeches. Whoever takes up the above Servants, and secures them in any Jail within this Province, shall receive Three Pounds Reward, or Thirty Shillings for either, besides what the Law allows; and if taken out of the Province Five Pounds for both, or in Proportion, and reasonable Charges if brought to *Annapolis*. JOHN CLAPHAM.

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